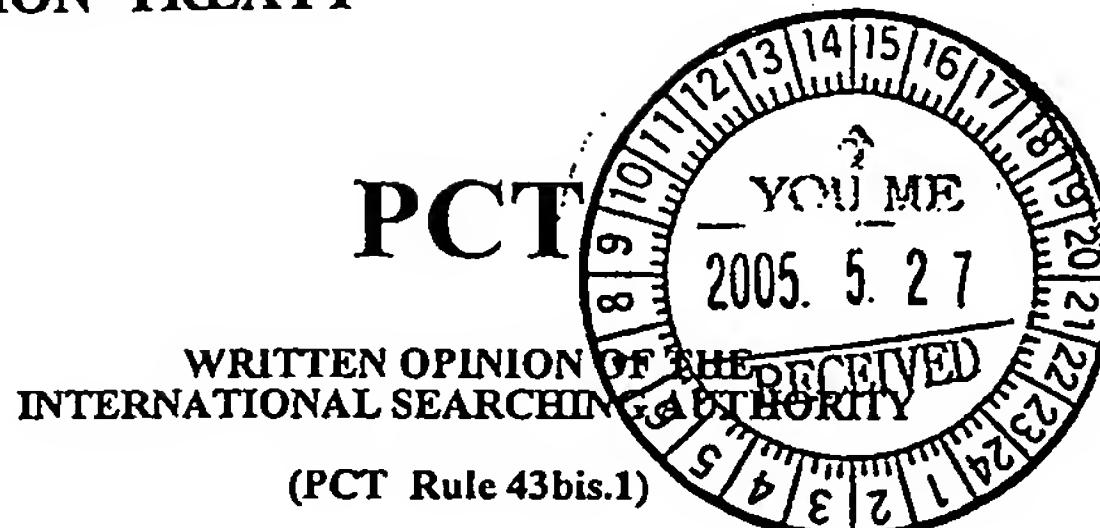


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1. This opinion contains indications relating to the following items:

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<input type="checkbox"/>	Box No. II	Priority
<input type="checkbox"/>	Box No. III	Non-establishment of opinion with regard to novelty, inventive step and industrial applicability
<input type="checkbox"/>	Box No. IV	Lack of unity of invention
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2. FURTHER ACTION

If a demand for international preliminary examination is made, this opinion will be considered to be a written opinion of the International Preliminary Examining Authority ("IPEA") except that this does not apply where the applicant chooses an Authority other than this one to be the IPEA and the chosen IPEA has notified the International Bureau under Rule 66.1bis(b) that written opinions of this International Searching Authority will not be so considered.

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Box No. 1 Basis of this opinion

1. With regard to the language, this opinion has been established on the basis of the international application in the language in which it was filed, unless otherwise indicated under this item.

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a. type of material

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Box No. V Reasoned statement under Rule 43bis.1(a)(i) with regard to novelty, inventive step or industrial applicability; citations and explanations supporting such statement

1. Statement

Novelty (N)	Claims	1-13	YES
	Claims		NO
Inventive step (IS)	Claims	1-13	YES
	Claims		NO
Industrial applicability (IA)	Claims	1-13	YES
	Claims		NO

2. Citations and explanations :

Reference is made to the following document:

D1: US 6,445,916 (Date of Patent: 3 Sep. 2002)

1. Novelty

Claims 1-13 are considered to be novel considering the available prior art, because the prior art does not involve any of the technical features as specifically set out in the claims of the present invention.

2. Inventive step

The subject matter of the claims 1-13 of the present invention relates to a method for requesting channel quality information in a wireless portable Internet system. The claimed invention is characterized in that it includes:

- a base station which determines the interval of a channel quality information request;
- ARQ-ACK message of downlink data;
- allocated radio resources for the ARQ-ACK message and channel quality report to the subscriber station;
- received information on the ARQ-ACK message and channel quality report; and
- modulation and coding level of downlink data.

The present invention provides a method for quickly adapting to the most recent channel state and applying the most efficient modulation and coding level in transmitting and receiving data to or from a corresponding subscriber station.

The cited prior art, D1 provides a method for evaluating the quality of services in a wireless communications system by measuring the actual quality service level over the measuring interval to characterize the actual quality of service with respect to the target quality of service level.

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Continuation of :

None of the cited prior art discloses all the steps of the present invention that are considered to be unique to this invention. Thus, the invention claimed in claims 1-13 is considered to involve inventive step under 33(3) PCT because the documents cited in the international search report, each or altogether in combination do not teach or fairly suggest the present invention.

3. Industrial applicability

Claims 1-13 meet the criteria of PCT Article 33(4) because the present invention has applications for a wireless communications system.